# Transverse echoes as diagnostic tools

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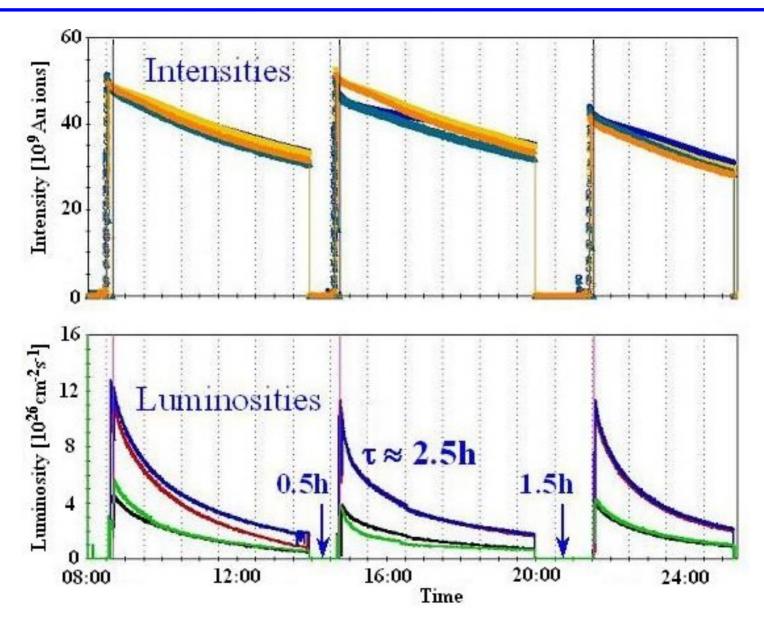
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# **RHIC overview**



# Luminosity lifetime of colliding Au<sup>79+</sup> beams



#### **Motivation**

- Luminosity lifetime for heavy ions dominated by IBS
  - Effort to implement stochastic cooling here: M. Brennan, M. Blaskiewicz
  - RHIC II upgrade based on e-cooling here: I. Ben-Zvi, A. Fedotov, G. Wang
- Main emittance growth mechanism working against cooling is IBS
  - → Good knowledge of IBS growth rates needed to predict cooling times and equilibrium beam sizes
  - → Cooling times of order 1 hour, cannot afford error larger than about factor 2

#### **Motivation**

- IBS growth rate measurements usually done by observing the free expansion of bunches
  - Must be on time scale of interest [15min at injection, hrs at store]
  - Need precise emittance measurement [not easy transversely]
- Echo measurements are
  - Much faster (~1000 turns), allow parameter scans
  - Potentially very sensitive
  - Do not rely on precise emittance measurement

#### **Transverse echoes**

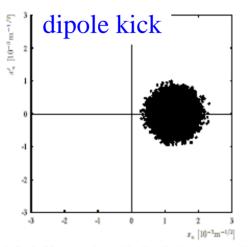
Echoes well known in plasma physics

Sensitive method to measure diffusion rates

- Theoretical accelerator papers by Stupakov, Kauffmann (SSC)
- Longitudinal echos observed at
  - FNAL AA [Spenzouris, Colestock et al.]
  - CERN SPS [Brüning et al.]
  - BNL AGS [Kewisch, Brennan]

#### **Transverse echoes – phase space simulation**

US-LHC Collaboration Meeting: Accelerator Physics Experiments for Future Hadron Colliders, BNL, 2000



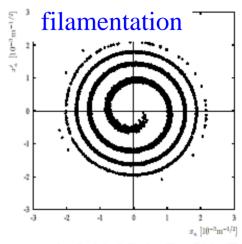
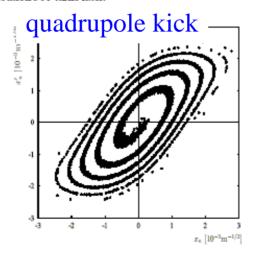


Figure 1: Left: Horizontal particle distribution in normalized phase space after the initial dipole offset. Right: The same distribution 500 turns later.

- 1-turn quadrupole kick is difficult
- echo-like signal
   was also observed
   with 2 dipole kicks
   of different strength
   (F. Ruggiero, SPS)



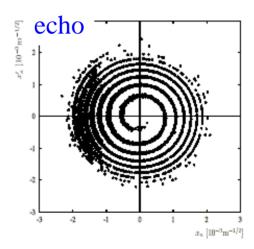
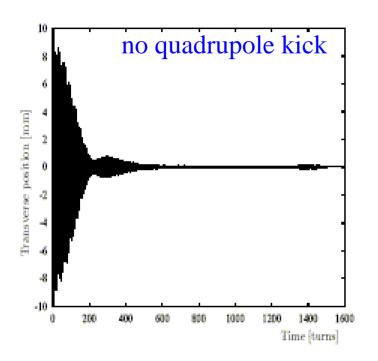


Figure 2: Left: Horizontal particle distribution in normalized phase space right after a 1 turn long quadrupole kick placed 500 turns after the dipole kick. Right: The same distribution 500 turns after the quadrupole kick.

#### **Transverse echoes – dipole moment simulation**



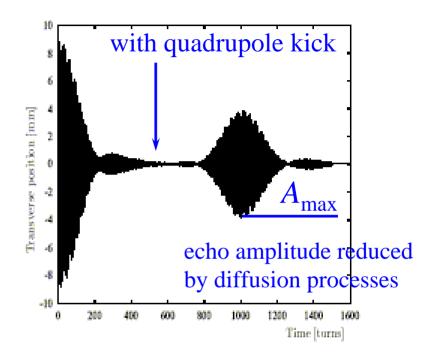


Figure 3: Left: The dipole moment of the distribution versus time after a dipole kick. Right: The same signal with an additional quadrupole kick at 500 turns after the dipole kick.

[W.Fischer, B. Parker, O. Brüning, "Transverse echos in RHIC", proceedings of the US-LHC Collaboration Meeting: Accelerator Physics Experiments for Future Hadron Colliders, BNL (2000).]

# Transverse echoes – echo amplitude formulae

 Approximate echo signal for one-turn quadrupole kick, small dipole kick, constants diffusion coefficient D<sub>0</sub> (Stupakov, PAC97 and Handbook)

$$A_{echo} = \frac{\eta^{\text{max}}}{a} = \frac{Q}{\tau_d} \frac{\tau}{1 + 8D_0 \mu^2 \omega_0^2 \tau^3 / 3\varepsilon}$$

- $\eta_{max}$  echo amplitude, a dipole kick,
- $Q = \beta / f$  at quad
- $\tau_{\rm d} = T_0/4\pi\mu$  decoherence time,  $T_0$  rev. time,  $\omega_0 = 2\pi/T_0$
- $\tau$  time between dipole and quadrupole kick
- $\mu$  detuning ( $\Delta Q$  at  $1\sigma$  amplitude),  $\varepsilon$  distribution rms
- $D_0$  diffusion coefficient

→ not applicable for RHIC experiments (due to parameter range)

#### Pulsed quadrupole in RHIC

# Air core magnet

(Tevatron slow extraction)

Length l 1.5 m

Transfer B/I 3.6 T/kA

Inductance L 105 µH

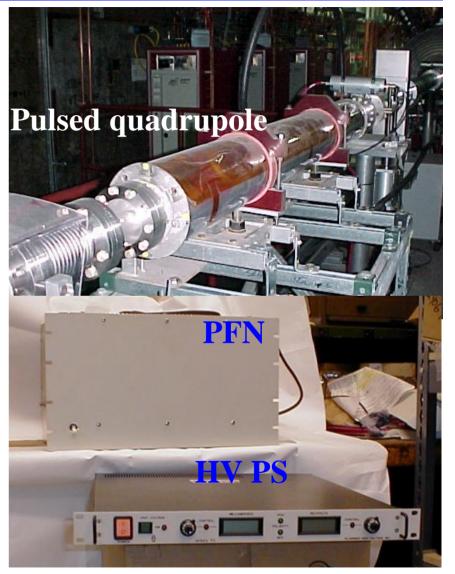
Current I 50 A

Voltage U 2 kV

Rise and fall time 13 µs (1 turn)

Parameter set is for a quadrupole

strength of k = 0.002/m (f = 500m).



[W. Fischer, A. Jain, D. Trbojevic, "The AC quadrupole in RHIC", BNL RHIC/AP/165 (1999).

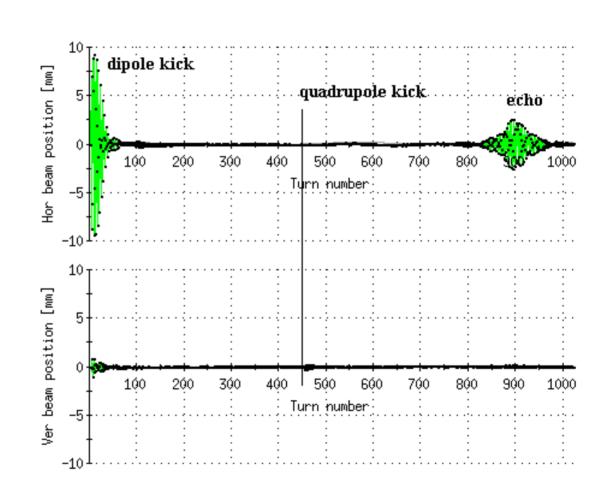
O. Dressler, "Quadrupole kicker for RHIC", BNL C-A/AP/60 (2001), J. Addessi, J. Piacentino, D. Warburton]
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# RHIC transverse echoes (1)

#### First RHIC echoes

- Au<sup>79+</sup> at injection
- single bunch
- dipole kick by injecting with angle
- 1-turn quad kick



[W. Fischer, R. Tomas, T. Satogata, PAC05]

#### **RHIC transverse echoes (2)**

# Can observe echoes only

• With dipole kick of a few  $\sigma$ 

 Nonlinear detuning an order of magnitude larger than natural one

• Quadrupole kick times no larger than a few 100 turns

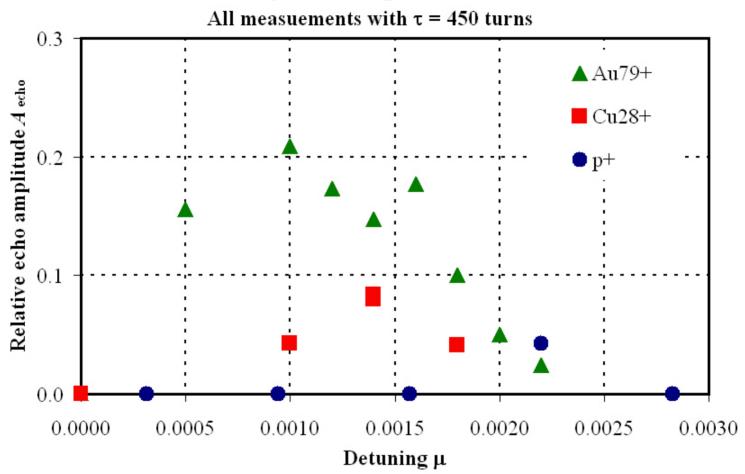
#### **RHIC transverse echoes (3)**

**TABLE 1.** Typical parameters for transverse echo measurement in RHIC with beams of gold and copper ions, and protons.

parameter	unit	Au	Cu	р
mass and charge number $A, Z$		197, 79	63,29	1,1
relativistic γ		10.5	12.1	25.9
revolution time $T_0$	$\mu$ s		12.8	
rms emittance, unnorm. $\varepsilon$	mm∙mrad	0.	16	0.10
detuning $\mu$		0.0014		
decoherence time $\tau_d$	turns		57	
dipole kick a	mm / $\sigma$		$10/\approx 4$	
normalized quadrupole kick $Q$			0.025	
time $\tau_0$	turns		10	
quadrupole kick time $ au$	turns	450		200
synchrotron period $T_s$	turns	450	540	3900
bunch intensity $N_b$	$10^{9}$	0.1-1.0	0.1-1.3	<b>6</b> 5–95

#### **RHIC** transverse echoes (4)

# Scan of nonlinear detuning $\mu$ (octupoles)

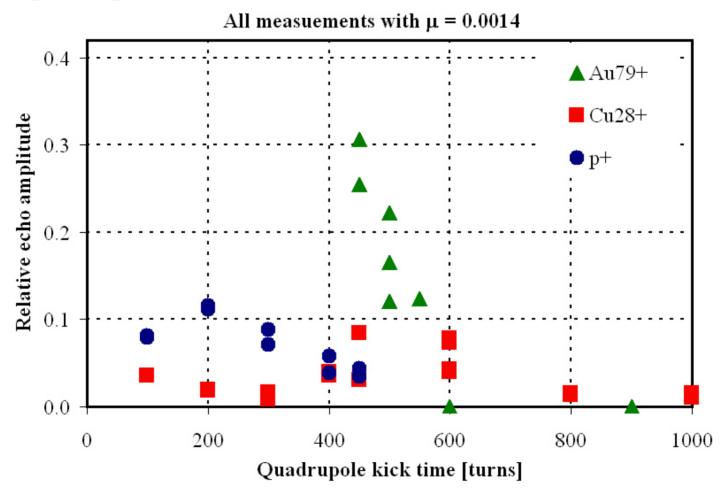


- no echo without detuning, no echo with large detuning
- very weak proton echoes (unexpected)

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#### **RHIC transverse echoes (5)**

# Scan of quadrupole kick time τ

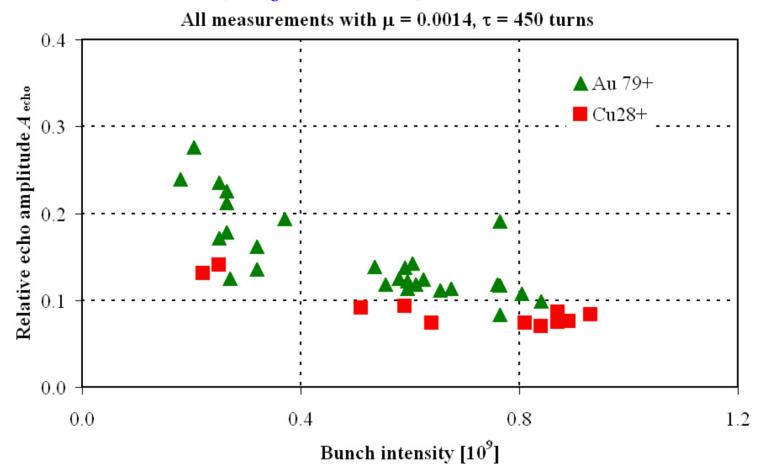


- no echo small  $\tau$ , no echo with large  $\tau$
- very weak proton echoes (unexpected)

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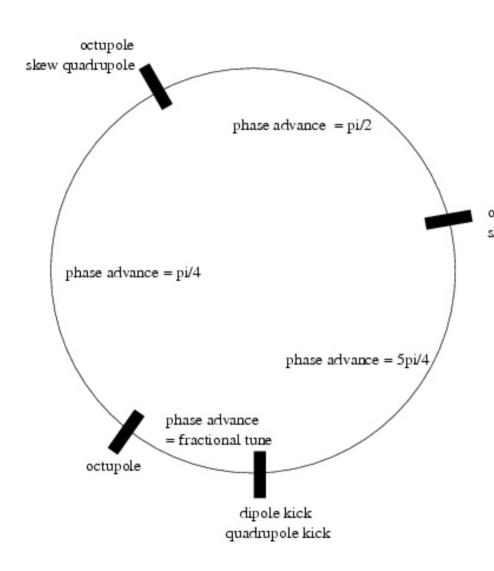
#### **RHIC transverse echoes (6)**

# Scan of bunch intensity $N_b$ (increasing diffusion from IBS)



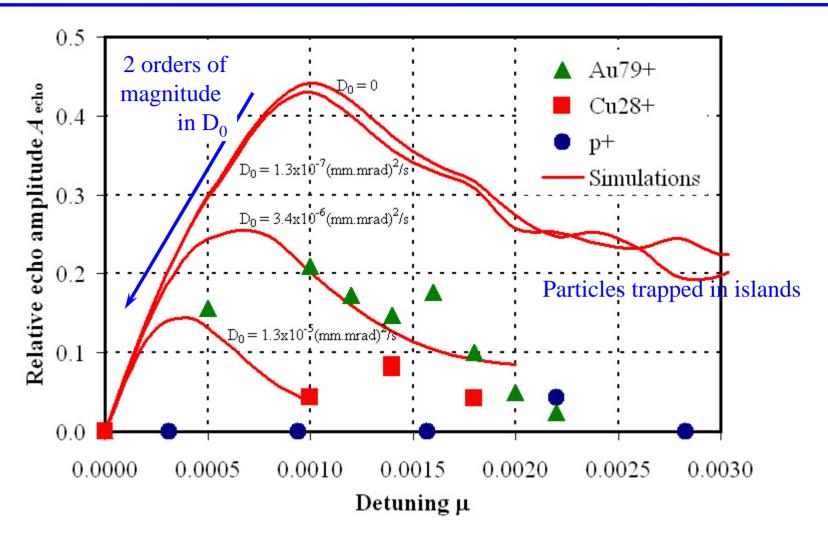
- echo decreases with increasing bunch intensity (like IBS)
- no proton data over sufficiently large range of N<sub>b</sub>

#### **Simulations (1)**



- only 1D (**now 2D**)
- linear transfer matrixes
- octupoles to adjust μ
- skew c typically 10000 particles
  - diffusion introduced through random kicks from Gaussian distribution (adjustable width, constant for all amplitudes)

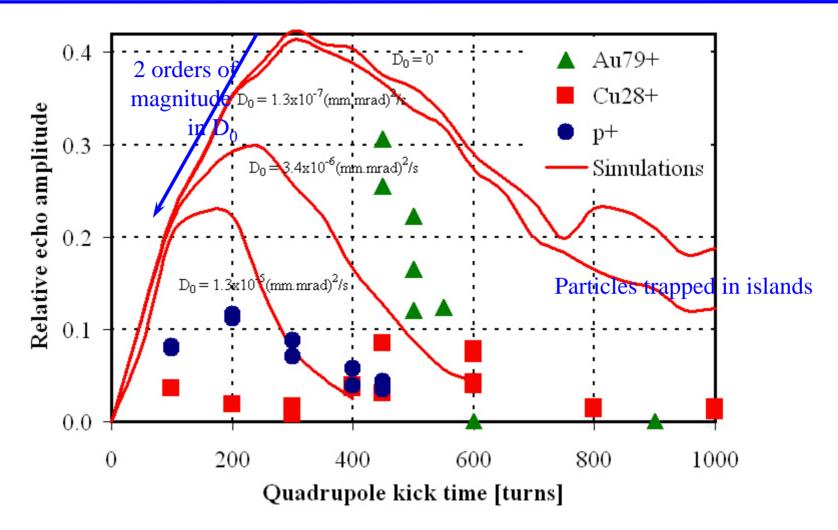
#### **Simulations (2)**



Can find diffusion coefficient in simulation that approximately reproduces detuning scan for gold ions

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#### **Simulation (3)**

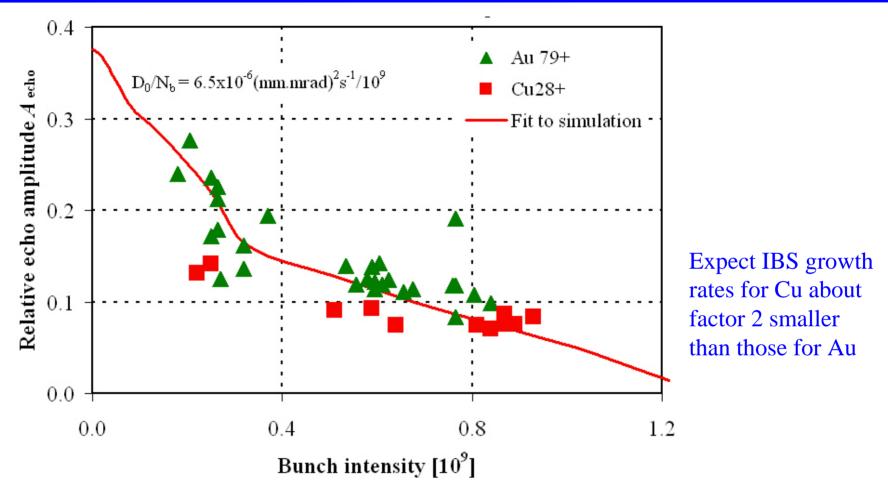


Simulation can reproduce experimental main features of experimental quadrupole kick time scan

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#### **Simulation (4)**



- Can find proportionality coefficient  $D_0/N_b$  so that simulation fits experimental intensity dependency ( $\rightarrow$  extracts measured  $D_0$ )
- Fitted  $D_0$  corresponds to emittance growth time of about 100 h, consistent with free expansion measurements (not very accurate)

# **Summary – Transverse Echoes in RHIC**

- Transverse echoes observed in RHIC with Au<sup>79+</sup>, Cu<sup>29+</sup>, p<sup>+</sup>
  - Dipole kick with injection under angle
  - Air core quadrupole provides 1-turn kick
- Diffusion with p<sup>+</sup> stronger than with heavier ions (unexpected)
- Observed intensity dependent echoes with Au<sup>79+</sup>, Cu<sup>29+</sup>,
  - → were fitted to simulation results to extract diffusion rates

